

REMARKS

The amendment to the claims filed on March 19, 2007 has been assumed to have been entered, based on the statement made in the Advisory Action dated April 5, 2007. The above amendments further amend the claims.

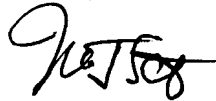
Claims 19 and 24 have been further amended to recite the positive presence of both CeO_2 and SnO_2 (0<).

The invention differs from Frank et al and Holand et al in that while the cited references teach inventive compositions containing CeO_2 , they do not teach inventive compositions also containing SnO_2 , which must be present in the compositions according to the invention as claimed (see col. 6, lines 38-41 of Holand et al, col. 6, lines 8-11 of Frank et al).

The rejection over Brodtkin et al has been withdrawn, and the allowability of claim 21 has been noted.

Favorable reconsideration of the present claims is requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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